The most common resources used in studying are textbooks. These learning materials are easier to utilize because students would just simply read and turn the page then they could grasp a lot of information. Teachers also use textbooks as their guide in lesson planning because these materials provide an organized unit of works and are more reliable compared to those that are found in different websites in the Internet. Textbooks are great teaching aids which are both beneficial to the students and teachers.

According to Anthony D. Fredericks (2005), textbooks provide organized units of work and a textbook gives teachers the plans and lessons they need to cover a topic in some detail. Textbooks are also a detailed sequence of teaching procedures that tell teachers what to do and when to do it and most of the times, they provide administrators and teachers with a complete program. Since textbooks always rely with the new strategies and trend in education, it would be advisable to use these as resources.

These learning materials could also help the students be guided with their lessons. If there are lessons missed or key information that they were not able to catch up, they can rely to their textbooks. Also, these can save a lot of time because instead of lecturing on the board of what are written in the book, they could use their textbooks to grasp information. There will be no need to allot time in lecturing, and the teacher may use the time straight to discussion.

Barnaby Lenon (2015) said that textbooks are better than online resources or paper handouts in several ways and they are easier to issue and much easier to refer back to. He
also added that they are a big part of the solution for the child who joins a course late or who misses a large piece of work. Textbooks are resources that can be used by the parents to help and guide their children in their studies. It is also more advisable to use than relying on technology because not everyone has the access and the retention of information is more effective in printed books that those in digital books.

However, teachers must not rely on textbooks alone because they still need to explore other resources that could give them additional information about their lessons. Not everything will be written on textbooks that is why teachers must be resourceful of gathering information that will be transferred to their students. But, even the teachers are using other resources, textbooks must still be the dominant learning materials inside the classroom because they are more reliable, more organized and updated to what strategies are being used by the teachers at the present time.

Despite living in a digital world, teachers must not consider textbooks as archaic learning materials. No matter how modern our world is, printed textbooks must never go out of style for they can give a better learning for the students compared to those which can be surfed in the Internet because students might encounter unreliable sources with false information. Textbooks will never be outdated as long as there would still be a lot of teachers and students who will utilize and consider these as the most dominant learning material inside the classroom.

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